

## Why do women like pipe smokers?

We asked many women. One said: "Because a man who thinks things out, does them and goes all the way through with anything he starts generally smokes a pipe if he smokes at all—and nearly always he does smoke."

Another replied: "A pipe smoker is more of a home man, it seems to me. There is no better picture of contentment than a man smoking a pipe in his home after the day's work is done."

"He is more honest, more reliable, more manly," said another—but she was rather young.

"Pipe-smokers are not so jumpy and fidgety, so nervous as non-smokers. They're more easily contented," was the opinion of one woman.

There were many reasons given by the fair ladies; some of them not very powerful from a logical viewpoint. The significant feature of the questionnaire was that the great majority of the women admitted that they do like pipe smokers.

And just to show that woman is not the only illogical of the two sexes, we asked a number of men why they liked the tobacco they smoked. One said it was strong enough for him. Another said it was mild enough for him—and they were smoking the same brand. All of them had some more-or-less indefinite reason for liking a certain tobacco, but putting that feeling into words was difficult. Even our old Edgeworth smokers—our best friends—have difficulty in telling why they like Edgeworth.

"It is a friendly, friend-making tobacco that just suits me," was the best answer we could get. Just suits me! There's the whole thing.

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### Planet Without Oxygen.

According to the spectroscopic studies made at the Mount Wilson observatory of the light received from Venus, no oxygen-absorption lines are found. This indicates that there is no oxygen or water vapor in the outer atmosphere of Venus, and furthermore that the reflected light of the sun must have penetrated to a considerable depth.

It therefore appears necessary to attribute the great brightness of Venus to some other cause than that of high reflective power of water-vapor clouds, and this apparent absence of oxygen must be considered in connection with speculations as to the conditions of the planet.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

One Thing He Knew. The immigrant had to fill up the usual form. The first question was "born?" Unhesitatingly he wrote down: "Yes."

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## Memorial Day Gift

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

Richard Peckham was a veteran of the Civil war. He always marched in the Memorial day parade. The parade was much larger than it had been for a number of years back. The men of the World war now marched, too.

Richard had always been a very active man, and he had taken part in many a celebration in the town. By day he sold cigars and cigarettes and fruit at the little stand in front of the small house where he and Mrs. Peckham had lived for so many years. But at night, oh, so often, he would dress in his best fireman suit or in his Civil war uniform as special town constable.

Richard could remember so many years back. He could remember when they had no such fire department as they had now, for example. Now they had a splendid firehouse too, above which was a clubroom for the firemen. What a magnificent place that was. They subscribed to several magazines, always there were some papers lying about on the great shiny table they had bought for the center of the room—to make it cozy and club-like, they had said.

How good it was to talk over the old days. There were some of the present men of the fire department who had remembered the old days. How they had pulled the hook and ladder up the great surrounding hills!

"I remember one cold night," Richard Peckham would begin a tale of former days, and so the story would be continued, a story of fighting against great odds, mighty hills, frightful cold and water that froze. They had motors now.

The new hook and ladder was new. It was a handsome hook and ladder. Richard Peckham admired it. Now he was merely an honorary member



There it Was.

of the fire department, but a picture of him hung on the wall in the club and over it was the word "Hero." Oh, yes, Richard Peckham had had a splendid life; useful, brave, and the remembrance of it gave him great happiness.

The past was not the past with him. It was the present, too. It was always along with him, nudging him, as it were, and saying:

"Do you remember so and so?" And then Richard would smile at the thought. He was often smiling at his thoughts.

But since there had been these great improvements in the fire department they decided that they had no room for the old hook and ladder.

"We'll have to sell it to the junk man," they said. "He may give us ten dollars for it."

Richard had missed that meeting. Wasn't that just like a lot of young men with no sentiment, no feeling? They would sell that splendid hook and ladder which had been pulled up many a hill and which had saved many a life! It was sacrilege, sheer sacrilege.

"They're goin' to sell the old hook and ladder," he told Mrs. Peckham the next day. "Yes, ma, they're goin' to sell it. I wasn't at the meetin' last night, but I've heard how they've made all arrangements. If I only had room—" he broke off then, and his eyes filled with tears. Mrs. Peckham knew what it meant to her husband. It was almost something alive to him. Sell it for junk? It would break his heart.

Richard Peckham was getting dressed for the Memorial day parade. He was ready ahead of time. He knew that he would be.

"Richard," she came toward him, "before you start for the parade I want you to take a look in the yard. I've a little Memorial day present there for you—a real Memorial day present."

His heart was bending happily, joyously, as he hurried along. But no, she couldn't have meant that. No one really knew how he loved it except himself. And besides the yard was too small. He had thought of that himself.

But there, in the yard, just squeezing in, as though it knew it was its only chance and had to do it, was the old hook and ladder. There it was and there it would be, not as junk but as having found a home.

"Oh, ma, ma," Richard cried, "I—I just can't say what I feel!"

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## Southwest News From All Over New Mexico and Arizona

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Frank Newman, tried in the Federal Court at Roswell on the charge of having liquor in his possession, was found not guilty in the court recently.

News was received at Douglas that N. C. Matthews, government superintendent of construction, was injured in a fall in Cincinnati and may die from injuries. He is a former Douglas man.

Two Mexican bandits who held up a Mexican agent of the Singer Machine Company and robbed him of 200 pesos, were captured and executed near Cananea, Son., south of Douglas, according to word received at Nogales recently. Col. Manuel Aguirre of the Sonora state rangers, effected their capture, said the message, and had the pair hanged to a tree in a public highway.

As a result of the special election held at Aztec, N. M., one of the most modern school buildings in the northern part of the state is soon to be erected. There was practically no opposition to the bond issue, and the plans for the new building are already being worked out. A feature of the structure will be a swimming pool and an auditorium which will seat 500 people.

Jean M. Reap, 63, shot and killed John Halter, 25, foreman of a Tucson shoe repair shop conducted by Reap's wife. The shooting occurred on the main street in full view of passing theater crowds. Halter died instantly. Reap was arrested and placed in the city jail immediately following the shooting, offering no resistance to the arresting officers and making the statement, "I am glad I did it."

Selt to restrain County Treasurer Vernon S. Wright from paying a \$2,500 warrant drawn to the order of A. P. Harter as a member of the entertainment committee for the recent good roads convention at Phoenix, was filed in Superior Court at Phoenix by County Attorney Shepherd. The latter contends there is no legal basis for the appropriation of public funds for such a purpose as entertaining convention delegates.

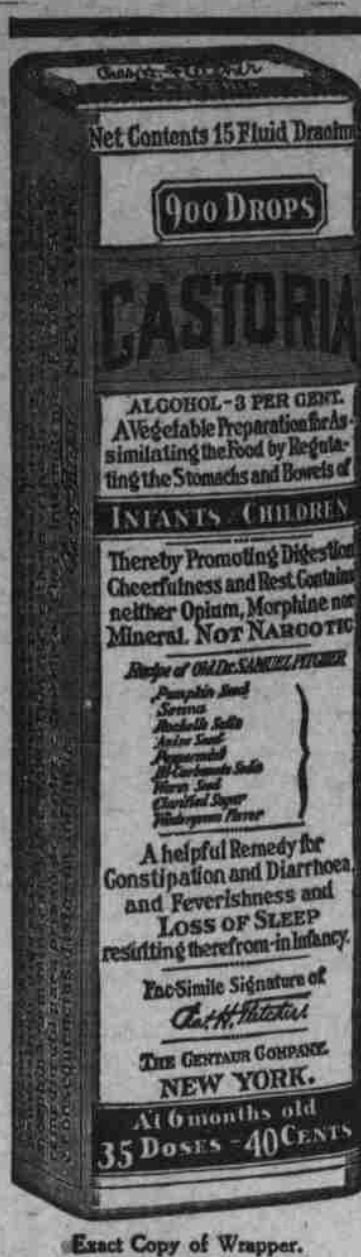
W. C. Frazier is dead with four bullet holes in his body, and George C. Herrill, a former soldier, is in jail in connection with the killing, which occurred near Clovis, N. M., recently. According to the story Herrill is said to have told the sheriff, the two men were riding together in an automobile when a discussion arose over domestic affairs. Herrill was attacked with brass knuckles, according to the sheriff, whereupon he fired four shots into Frazier's body. Herrill, who surrendered to the sheriff immediately, had to be treated by a physician for his injuries.

Representations to the Mexican government on the attack May 4 on a party of Methodist missionaries at Mexquital, Durango, in which Miss Elizabeth Streeter, an American, was seriously injured, have been made by the American consul at Durango City, according to information received by church officials. Details of the attack on Miss Streeter and party have been forwarded to Mexico City authorities and the American embassy in a sworn statement made by Rev. Emigdio C. Santos, pastor of the Durango circuit of the Methodist Episcopal church, South. Miss Streeter, whose home is in Meridian, Miss., is in a serious condition at Durango City, suffering from a broken hip sustained in the attack by the mob, according to advices received recently.

Plans for the big hospital which is soon to be put into operation in Deming, N. M., by the Holy Cross Association will soon be completed by Trost & Trost of El Paso and it is hoped to begin work at an early date. The present buildings will be repaired and put in first-class shape.

The board of regents of the Normal University, at a meeting held in Las Vegas recently, made a contract with Jonathan H. Wagner, the president of the school, to remain the executive head of the institution for three years. Mr. Wagner has been president of the Normal for one year. His successful work has met the approval of the board. In the face of serious handicap caused by the fire of Feb. 2, the president and the board of regents kept the school running with unimpaired efficiency, and indications are that the summer school session, which will begin June 5, will be the largest in the history of the institution. All the members of the board were present. They are Dr. David R. Boyd, Albuquerque; Jose D. Sena, Santa Fe; John Morrow, Raton; John D. W. Veeder, and Miss Rumalda Delgado, Las Vegas.

Stefano Pedrazini, one of the owners of the Pedra mines, the richest group of silver and gold mines in the world, is in Agua Prieta, having arrived on this continent from Europe, where he has been for many years. He recently paid a visit to the mines, which are in Chispa, near Arispe, and said that a force of 150 men is now at work at the property. Only a few cars of ore a week are sent to El Paso for smelting, but each carload is so rich that one-tenth of the value pays for the labor and all overhead expenses of the mine.



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A Baby's stomach when in good health is too often disarranged by improper food. Could you for a moment, then, think of giving to your ailing child anything but a medicine especially prepared for Infants and Children? Don't be deceived.

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### MADE FOR EMPEROR'S TABLE

Massive Silver Set Ordered by Napoleon I Put on Exhibition at New York.

The massive silver set of 919 pieces ordered by Napoleon I, during the hundred days, delivered after his abdication to Louis XVIII, and used by the French royal family at Tuilleries palace from 1815 to 1830, has been placed on exhibition in New York. Two bullet holes in the soup tureen bear evidence of the revolutions it has passed through. Each article bears the Bourbon coat of arms, the fleur de lis surmounted with the crown and is stamped with the official government mark, the mark of the chief craftsman and of the guild. Napoleon I ordered this set of silver from Biennais on his return to France from his first exile on the island of Elba. It was made during the hundred days of Napoleon's second reign, but before it could be delivered Napoleon was forced to abdicate and was again exiled this time to end his days on St. Helena. Louis XVIII, his successor, paid Biennais for the silver and had the Bourbon coat of arms placed on it. The set of silver passed finally to the heirs of the due de Chambord and through them has come to North America.

### Expert Advice.

The Bride—I'm in an awful mess here, mother. I simply can't get my expense account to balance.

Mother—It's quite simple, my dear. Deduct the items you can remember from the amount you had to begin with and call the difference sundries.—Life.

### The Splendid Matches.

"She's making a splendid match." "So? How much is the man worth?"

### "DIVORCE RING" THE LATEST

Fad Recently Adopted by Those Freed From the Marital Tie by Court Proceedings.

From time immemorial woman has worn on the third finger of her left hand a plain band of gold as a symbol of her honored position of wifehood. And when death takes from her the partner of her life she signifies her loss and grief by wearing appropriate garb.

But in what a different manner today the widow of the present, that is, the one who by the sanction of the courts, has resigned her job as wife, makes known to all the world her renewed state of single blessedness. For the grass widow of today has adopted the latest of fads, the "divorce ring." The jeweled symbol of the severance of the marital tie takes the place of the former gold band. It is made of gold or platinum on which is mounted a broken Cupid's bow at the end of which is set a jewel to represent a divorce. Should the wearer once more embark on the matrimonial seas and again come to wreck then another jewel is added to indicate the second divorce, and so on.

### And Still Going.

This is a bad time for young men to impose on the old folks by sitting up with their daughter while coal oil is 15 cents a gallon and with an upward tendency.—Forty-five Years Ago Item in Newton Kansan-Republican.

### Avoiding Extremes.

"Do you admire skirts so short as to justify the term 'flapper'?" "No," replied Miss Cayenne, "yet I don't want them so long as to brush the street. There should be a happy medium between the flapper skirt and the flopper skirt."

### MADE HIS MEANING CLEAR

Old Dicky's Description of Wife's Failing Aptly Spelled Out Word He Didn't Understand.

Moses Diggs, an old Alabama dicky, had been arrested for having more than one wife, the last woman being the complainant. He happened to be well known locally and considered an orderly character.

"How many wives have you had?" demanded the examining judge.

"Six, yo' honah," was the reply.

"Why couldn't you get on with them?"

"Well, suh, de fust two sp'iled de white folks' clo's when dey washed 'em; de thu'd worn't no cook; de fo'th was ject nacherally lazy; an' de fifth—I'll tell you, jedge, de fifth, she—"

"Incompatibility?"

"No, yo' honah," said the negro, slowly, "it wora't nothin' like dat. Yo' jest couldn't git on with her unless yo' was somewhars else."—Harper's Magazine.

### The Greatest Dam.

The world's greatest dam, the Senar, is being rushed to completion on the Blue Nile river, 2,000 miles south of Khartoum, Africa, where Lord Kitchen became famous.

This dam will bring under irrigated cultivation 3,000,000 acres of farming land now idle. It will run a swarm of factories, mightier than the pyramids. Ancient way of conquering a territory was to enslave the inhabitants. Modern man's great conquests harness nature's forces and free human labor.

### Definitions.

Merit—The thing that gets you everything desirable you have.  
Poli—That which obtains for your neighbor everything worth while that comes his way.

## When Hungry Little Muscles Say, "Please Help Me"



DID you ever stop to think who it really is that's talking, when childish voices raise a clamor, "Mother, I'm hungry?"

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